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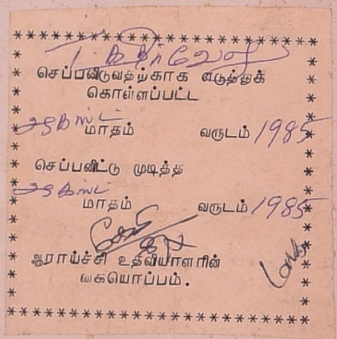
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	11th Feb	Board of Revenue	Reporting the death of Muthu Vizia Raguntha Sethupathi, Zemindar of Ramnad, on the morning of the 1st instt, and stating that he had not left any legitimate children behind him. [Enclosure in the Sent Letter p. 67]
	1st April	Do Do	Do Reporting the circumstances of the death of the Zemindar of Ramnad and the supposed adoption of a Son before his death.

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To
the Recorder and Members
of the Board of Revenue

Gentlemen,

I have the Honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Secretary's letter of the 25th Ultimo directing me to procure such further information with regard to the Children of the deceased Zemindar Viraba Nayeu Rayanacka Sa Thoopah &c. who has been left under my care, and the enclosed & the accompanying Translations of any information which I have been enabled to obtain on the subject, as contained from the Amin of the Superintendent of Revenue, his Cutcherry, that considerable doubt, must exist, as to the legality of the Will & Deeds of the whole of the proceedings. I must however refer to your Board as being extraordinary that the Zemindar should not have had recourse to the usual mode of adopting a Child under the Regulations on which I received Accounts of his death, &c

Dispatched 28th

to in the law whether pass to the heir, of such an alienation - I then received a letter stating that as he had annulled the marriage of adopting Rama Swamy Iyaver, I set the same time, one from the Iyaver assuming himself the adopted son - giving news of the death of the Zemindar - By comparing the signature of the reasons of the Judge's letter with that of former letters the resemblance to the latter can be traced - I therefore fear, that some unfair transactions have taken place on the occasion

The Zemindar has left five wives, four of the Marava, & two of the Agamudaly Caste. He has only one daughter by the last Marava wife & the [illegible] - The first wife therefore is the heir to the property of the deceased - I have just received an address from the Widow of the Marava wife, the Judge duly translated of which I beg to transmit,

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I am not aware of any just grounds for the Complaint against the Inhabitants from the different reports which have been brought to my notice, I have reason to believe, his information is pretty correct.

I have the honor to be
with great respect
Sir Honors
Your most obedient
faithful Servant

Madura
1st April
1820

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